

Haga et al. -- Appln. No. 10/069,541


REMARKS

Claims 100, 102, 103, 105, 107, 109-112 are under examination. Applicants thank Examiner Stanley for his courtesy and consideration in initiating the telephonic Examiner interview held on October 11, 2005 with the undersigned. The amendments proposed by the Examiner are reflected in the amended claims listed above. The amendments consist of minor changes in wording to improve the clarity of the claims and bring them into conformance with USPTO requirements. No new matter has been added. Non-elected claims have been canceled.

All objections and rejections having been addressed, it is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for allowance, and Notice to that effect is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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